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## THE PEARY EXPEDITION.

### Preparations for Its Departure From Sydney Next Week.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., July 7.—(Special)—The whaler Hope, which has been chartered to convey the Peary expedition to Greenland, was docked to-day to have fitted the new propellor shaft, which arrived for her by the steamer Assyrian from Glasgow. She leaves here for Sydney on July 10, and the expedition departs from Sydney July 14.

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# LAURIER STILL WAITS

### Because of a Hitch in Winding Up Affairs of the Retiring Ministry.

### Tupper May Yet Meet the House as Premier—Another Liberal in Danger.

### Morrison Favored as British Columbia's Cabinet Minister But Without Salary.

(From Our Own Correspondent)

OTTAWA, July 7.—So far as the political situation is concerned, matters are in statu quo to-night. The cabinet met this morning for a couple of hours and resumed at 3 o'clock, but the afternoon session was very brief. It was thought there might be a meeting of the ministers to-night, but none was held, as the Premier spent more time with the Governor-General at Rideau Hall. The opinion is general in public resorts that a hitch has occurred in connection with winding-up the affairs of the Conservative ministry. This may be straightened out to-morrow or it may not. A well informed politician said to-night that, so far as he could gather, it was now an open question about the resignation of the government. The ministry might resign to-morrow, or it might even meet the House.

Winnipeg's population as taken last month by federal officers is 31,649, an increase of 6,010 in five years. The complete returns for Manitoba are not yet made up. The object of taking the census is a readjustment of the Dominion subsidy.

Cabinet slates now appearing in Liberal newspapers concede that British Columbia will have a representative, Morrison being favored for a seat without portfolio.

The Conservatives have apparently lost North Leeds and Grenville through the action of the returning officer in sending the ballots to Ottawa before the period for a recount had elapsed. The Clerk of the Crown in Chancery says he will not surrender the ballots, and there is nothing in the election law to compel him to. Frost, Liberal, who was declared elected by 9 majority, it is asserted may not take his seat owing to the uncertainty respecting his right to it, in the face of the recount demanded by Lavell, Conservative, and which cannot be held. If the courts declare Lavell elected, Frost would be subject to a fine of $500 for every day he sits in the House.

# INVASION OF BRITAIN.

### Arrival in London of the Honorable Artillery Company of Boston.

### Brothers in Blood—Brethren in Arms—London's Reception—The Banquet.

LIVERPOOL, July 7.—The Cunard steamship Servia, from Boston on June 29, having on board the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, reached the landing place here at four o'clock. The Americans were greeted with the heartiest of cheers from the vast concourse of people and they made a lusty response. The enthusiasm displayed by the British has rarely been equalled. The Americans were met by the reception committee of the Honorable Artillery Company of London, the Earl of Derby, the Lord Mayor, many military officers, civic officials and a number of prominent people.

As the hour for the arrival of the company approached large crowds surrounded the Hotel Cecil and Euston station, where, however, they were kept outside the barriers. On the platform of the railway station was a large staff of military and civil officials and police. Along the route originally fixed for the parade were lines of patient crowds, some of whom had been there since early morning, anxiously awaiting the arrival of the Boston Ancients, who, however, were not expected until 9.30, an hour later than the time last announced.

The train steamed into Euston station at 8:45, making another change in the time set for its arrival. It was drawn by two engines, which were decorated with stars and stripes and union jacks. Enormous crowds of people had by this time gathered in and about the station, reaching from the platform to the street and stretching away in all directions along the route the Americans were to follow. Immediately the train stopped the Salem cadet band alighted and drew up on the platform, where it played "God Save the Queen," while the crowds, bareheaded, cheered until they were hoarse. The band at the station repeated the British national anthem, and then played "Yankee Doodle," the crowds remaining uncovered and cheering.

After "Yankee Doodle" had been played once there was a vociferous demand for an encore. Representatives of the field battery of the London company were detailed to escort the Americans to the armory of the Honorable Artillery Company, on Finsbury square. The main body of the Bostonians, all in full uniform, were drawn up on the platform, before which they boarded the omnibusses in waiting, and started for the armory. The first question of the visitors was as to who won the boat race at Henley. The whole route to Finsbury square was lined with omnibusses drawn up in front of the headquarters, within half a mile of which the crowd was as thick as on Lord Mayor's day. The cheering was deafening and all traffic in the neighborhood was stopped.

On entering the headquarters, the artillerymen immediately repaired to the reception hall, which was a brilliant sight and a perfect blaze of uniforms. Standing in a vacant space was Lord Colville, of Culross, in evening dress, the Earl of Denbigh and others in full uniform. They welcomed each guest as his name was announced, and this was the signal for more loud cheering. A large number of the visitors from across the Atlantic were in civilian dress, as they had not time to change their clothes. While the reception was in progress the band in the anteroom played national airs. The banquet began at 10 p.m. Many of the shops along the line of the proposed route of the procession which was to escort the Boston artillery company displayed the stars and stripes in great abundance. Upon the arrival of the second special train, containing the ladies who had accompanied the Boston artillery company at the Euston station, many Americans were present to offer them a welcome.

In the procession from the reception room to the dining hall one member of Boston Company and one member of the Honorable Artillery Company of the London walked abreast. The Bishop of Marlborough, Mass., chaplain of the Honorable Artillery Company, said grace over the repast at ten o'clock. The dining hall was very prettily decorated. Over the chairman's head on the wall was an elaborate device made up of the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack intertwined and flanked on the right and left by the state flag of Massachusetts and the flag of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston.

The chairman after the dinner had been partaken of, toasted the Queen, and said that Her Majesty was showing the greatest interest in the visit of their guests. The toast to the Queen was drunk amidst enthusiastic cheers. Col. Walker, of the Boston Co., led a separate round of cheers by the visiting Americans and the whole assembly sang "God Save the Queen" amidst the wildest enthusiasm, the Boston men following the national anthem with their curious shouts.

The chairman then toasted the President of the United States. In proposing this toast he said that it was a corollary of the preceding toast to the Queen. The President was regarded with affection as the great head of a great nation, and they hoped that his successors would always be leaders in the peaceful contests between the two English speaking nations. The company then drank the toast to the President standing, amidst cheers by all.

The chairman next toasted the Prince of Wales and the other members of the Royal family. He referred in his speech to the Prince of Wales' connection with both military companies, with the London company as a member and with the Boston company as an honorary member. Toasts to the army and navy and to the auxilliary forces followed.

The chairman then proposed the toast of the evening by saying: "Comrades from Massachusetts (cheers), with much pleasure I bid you a hearty welcome. A body of armed invaders for the first time in 800 years has successfully landed on our shores. We were comrades, but as relations we hope that it will not be presumption if we say that the Honorable Artillery Company greets its visitors as a fond parent would greet its only offspring. All we can say is it is high time you came home and reported yourselves to headquarters. (Cheers.) We regard your stay as too brief, and we hope you will return to America with an increased affection for the English people, and that you will disseminate it among your countrymen. (Cries of "We will.") I now invite all to drink to the health of our visitors, and I trust that this will commence an epoch of real peace between the two peoples."

Captain Henry Walker, upon rising to reply, was cheered for some minutes. When he was allowed to speak he began by saying: "Friends, I will return sincere thanks for this candid welcome, the forerunner of many greetings to come, from the blood of our race. It is the same blood. This is still our home across the waters." Capt. Walker then delivered an eloquent eulogy on the honorable Artillery Company of London. He said: "We come here on a pilgrimage and we know that there are warm hearts behind this reception." He also spoke of the loyalty and enthusiasm of both corps for their native land and said: "Let these two companies be ever faithful to the principle that if disaster shall ever come you cannot say, I did it."

## DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

### The Silver Men Control the Proceedings and Elect the Temporary Chairman.

CHICAGO, July 7.—A motion to elect Senator John W. Daniels, of Virginia, as temporary chairman of the Democratic convention, was carried by a vote of 556 to 349. Mr. Daniels was the silver candidate. This shows that the silver men have complete control. The gold men had nominated David B. Hill, of New York, as their candidate, and the Populists Senator Teller, of Colorado.

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# CAUSE OF THE DELAY.

### Rumor Attributes It to Strained Relations Between Aberdeen and Sir Charles.

### Laurier Repeats That the Tariff Can Stand Now That He Smells Office.

### See What British Columbia Gets—A Cheap Form of Bribery in Quebec.

MONTREAL, July 7.—A leading politician who arrived from Ottawa to-night says the delay in the government resigning is due to hesitancy on the part of the Governor-General to sign certain appointments. This has caused strained relations between Aberdeen and his ministers. The report was current in Ottawa that the Governor had sent back a large batch of orders-in-council unsigned.

Mr. Laurier was asked yesterday if there was any likelihood of the tariff being considered in the near future. He replied that he did not think it possible anything could be done in this direction in the course of the short session. "When parliament meets," he added, "there must be an adjournment in order to allow the re-election of the ministers. Very little time, therefore, would be at our disposal."

The following slate of Laurier's cabinet is generally accepted as correct: President of council, Laurier; justice, Mowat; militia, Blair; finance, Cartwright; trade and commerce, Paterson; fisheries, Davies; railways, Tarte; postmaster-general, Mills; secretary of state, Geoffrion; agriculture, Fisher; controller of inland revenue, Fraser; controller of customs, Mulock; solicitor-general, Fitzpatrick; without portfolio, Joly and a member from British Columbia. The portfolio of the interior will probably go to Martin or Sifton if a seat can be arranged. Edgar is put down for speaker of the Commons and Brodeur for deputy speaker; and Senator Power as speaker of the Senate. Another slate places Premier Fielding and Borden, of Kings, as certainties for the cabinet.

The recount in the St. Antoine division resulted in Dr. Roddick, Conservative, being declared elected by 173 votes. The returning officers gave Roddick only 137 majority.

The recount in L'Islet confirmed Deschenes, Liberal, in the seat by a majority of six.

TORONTO, July 7.—The Globe has an editorial in which Lister, of West Lambton, is boomed for a place in the cabinet.

QUEBEC, July 7.—Every day brings to light further evidences of the wholesale use of valueless Confederate money by the Liberals in the late election in this district, $800 worth of this money being circulated in exchange for votes in the parish of La Bonne Ste. Anne alone.

# DISEASES OF ANIMALS.

### Britain's Bill Regarding Infectious Maladies—Matabeles Repulse—Faith in Americans.

### Mark Twain on the Uitlanders—Duke of York to Visit Australia.

LONDON, July 7.—During the third reading of the diseases of animals bill in the House of Lords to-day Baron Herschell, Liberal, introduced an amendment providing that, on an address from both houses, the Privy Council shall have the power if it is satisfied that a colony or country is free from disease to admit the cattle of such colony or country. Vicount Cross, lord privy seal, opposed the motion on behalf of the government and the Earl of Kimberley seconded it. Lord Rosebery and the Marquis of Salisbury spoke on Baron Herschell's amendment, and it was finally defeated on a vote of 108 to 26. The bill was then amended to become operative on January 1, 1897, and was passed.

A Bulawayo dispatch says that Plummer's column, after several hours of hard fighting on Sunday, finally repulsed the Matabele forces. The latter had a loss of 100 killed. The British loss was 23 killed and wounded.

All the Guatemalan troops have returned from the frontier and absolute quiet now prevails throughout the country. The general army review was one of the grandest sights seen here and President Barrios was enthusiastically cheered by the populace. The preliminary work of the exposition is fast being finished and the general interest taken is on the increase.

A Paris dispatch to the Times says: At the Fourth of July banquet of the Americans at the chamber of commerce on Saturday, Hon. Wayne MacVeagh, referring to the currency question, asked his hearers to have more faith in America and Americans than to suppose she would be dishonest in her national credit.

The Times has an editoral discussing the Democratic convention, and incidentally Mr. MacVeagh's statement above quoted, which concluded by saying: "We believe still in the good faith and honesty of the American people."

Mark Twain, in an interview after his tour in the Transvaal, says the Uitlanders will eventually become masters there and that without war. He thinks that Jameson was partially justified by the oppressions of the Uitlanders in his attempt to assist them.

# NEWS OF THE PROVINCE

## Resolutions Against Mongolian Immigration—Fishermen Return From Rivers Inlet.

## Clean Up of Fraser River Sand—Fire at Union—Hornby Island.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

### VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, July 7.—At the mass meeting called at the Market hall last night to consider the Mongolian immigration question, the following gentlemen spoke: Ralph Smith, Nanaimo; W. J. Bowser, J. J. South, of Queensland, Australia; James Wilkes, of Union; F. C. Cotton, M.P.P., Ald. N. C. Schou and R. Burtwell. The following is the effect of the resolutions passed:

"Whereas, in the opinion of the meeting, the importation of Chinese in the Dominion results in unfair competition. * * * introduces into our midst filth, immorality, polygamy, gambling, opium habit, etc.; and, whereas, such importation is a serious menace to the prosperity of the Dominion, the Dominion government be asked to increase the tax on Chinese from $50 to $500 per head."

James Wilkes, of Union, moved a resolution to ask the government for reason of the unfair competition of Japanese and the demoralization of the labor market and to take some means to stop their importation. Another resolution was passed authorizing the circulation of a monster petition in the province to secure the names of all those opposed to Mongolian immigration. A fourth resolution was also passed to the effect that all the resolutions passed be sent to the Lieut.-Governor-in-council, with the request that they receive official endorsation and support.

Ald. Brown will introduce a motion at the next meeting of the council asking the government for aid in constructing a canal from Pitt river to some point near Port Moody to give the high tide waters in the spring a short cut to the gulf, and to provide a means for the farmers to reach the Vancouver market easily.

Several fishermen who struck for higher pay at Rivers Inlet have returned to Vancouver. They say the canners offered them six cents a fish; they demanded ten. Their demand being refused, they waited several days and then returned to their homes—both Indians and whites. The fishermen claim that if the canners had shown a disposition to treat with them they would have no doubt come to terms. Some twenty fishermen out of 800 are continuing to fish at six cents a fish.

One hundred candidates for teachers certificates are writing in Vancouver.

A bonfire was lighted in the park yesterday by some picnickers and a portion of the park narrowly escaped being burned. A fire engine was at work most of the day extinguishing the flames.

The Eastern train was cancelled to-day.

The Consolidated Railway offer to build a bridge over Coal harbor provided they are given a twenty-three-year tenure of Robson street instead of five, as at present.

Col. Tracey was asked by the council to secure information from Kootenay which would aid the smelter committee of the council in the erection of a smelter in Vancouver. Col. Tracey reports very favorably on the project.

Mr. Tilley, city accountant, has resigned and Mr. W. Cowderoy has been recommended to the position by the finance committee.

A motion has been passed by the council asking the Lieut.-Governor-in-council to reduce the police magistrate's salary from $1,800 to $1,500.

### WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, July 7.—The W. C. T. U. have asked the Westminster council to pass a curfew law for the purpose of compelling the boys and girls under a certain age to remain at home at night. The City Solicitor has given it as his opinion that the council has no power to pass such a law.

The Dominion Pulverising Co. have made their first clean up of the black sand of the Fraser river, the result being $800 for 250 tons treated, or a yield of $30 per ton. As a result of this clean-up the company have placed their order for $20,000 worth of additional machinery.

### NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, July 7.—Dr. H. C. Sloggett, formerly of this city and latterly of Ladner's, is in Vancouver with his family, whence he will sail by the Australian steamer Miowera for Honolulu. The doctor has purchased a share in a medical practice in that city.

Peacock's log house at Chase river was totally destroyed by fire on Sunday night. The original cause was a bush fire in the neighborhood. Mr. Peacock and his wife escaped injury.

One hundred and sixty acres on Hornby Island, hitherto the property of William Ford, were disposed of by sheriff's sale yesterday afternoon to satisfy the registered judgment of Jane Honeyman. The purchasers were as follows: One lot of 40 acres, C. H. B. Potts, for $13; one lot of 40 acres, F. Rowbotham, for $45; one lot of 80 acres, C. H. B. Potts, for $70.

J. A. Caldwell, who together with P. Gable was out at Nanaimo lakes on Sunday, states that the tremendous bush fire, the smoke of which was plainly visible here, is several miles beyond the lakes. The effect is said to have been magnificent, and strongly suggestive of a huge city in flames.

Seven dwellings were burned to the ground at Union on Sunday morning. Most of them belonged to A. D. Williams. Loss about $6,000. The houses were well insured. The origin of the fire is not known. Bush fires threatened Grant & Co.'s new sawmill on the Courtenay road. About fifty men were kept working all night fighting the fire. No damage was done to the mill. The destroyed buildings were practically the property of the Dominion Loan and Investment Association of Toronto, Ont., that association having advanced the money for their erection.

### GOLDEN.

(From the Era.)

The Balrath property, owned by Mr. Aylmer, is being developed rapidly. The tunnel which is being driven to intersect the lead is now more than 100 feet long, and the vein is supposed to be struck in a few weeks at most. Many stringers have been passed through in the tunnel which shows up very favorably, and even the slate through which the tunnel is driven is now becoming highly mineralized. Messrs. Warren and Conners are doing some work on an extension of the Balrath on Bug-a-boo. The ore will average $26 to the ton and is thickly set with iron pyrites. Mr. George Heffner has another property in the vicinity upon which he is doing some work.

The returns from the copper ore shipped from the Hidden Treasure and sent to the Trail Creek smelter were very satisfactory, in fact caused no little excitement at the smelter. It was by far the richest ore that ever entered there. It ran 47 per cent. metallic copper and is of a very good smelting character, being the carbonates of copper.

Mr. George Rury has lately arrived from his properties in the McMurdo country, and is now waiting for an expert to arrive from the States to examine them. He owns several properties in that neighborhood.

A jam of logs at the Smelter bridge on Wednesday morning necessitated the cutting away a portion of the centre of the bridge.

## THE "QUOTIDIEN'S" VIEWS

### On the Result of the Elections in the Province of Quebec.

The Quotidien, of Levis, in an exceeding frank article on the situation, says: "The result of the election on the 23rd will for a long time remain incomprehensible. Everyone is astonished, and we may add that the victors themselves cannot understand what it all means. When Hon. Mr. Dickey brought down the remedial bill, Laurier thought fit to turn his back upon his own province and caress the support of Protestant Ontario, counting, no doubt, that the increased vote in that province would recompense him for any loss which the betrayal of Quebec might bring about. On the other hand, Sir Charles Tupper placed his political existence and that of his party in jeopardy in order to render justice to our co-religionists. To-day he would be quite justified in regretting that so much devotion and sacrifice had been given for so ungrateful a minority. We cannot help recalling to mind the words of Mercier, who, without the same reason as Sir Charles Tupper, on the morrow of a crushing defeat exclaimed, "Mine is an inferior race." The Conservative party justly counted upon the unanimous vote of the Province of Quebec, while we had well founded doubts as to the result in Ontario and the other Protestant provinces. What then is our astonishment when we find that the Catholics of Quebec have voted almost unanimously for Mr. Laurier and his candidates who had betrayed the cause of the Manitoba minority, according to the expression used by Mgr. Langevin. Alas, our English fellow citizens very often reproach us, and we are indignant at such treatment, but in the face of such black ingratitude have not the English Protestants, who made so many sacrifices in our behalf, good reason for bitterly regretting their generosity? What do we deserve after what has taken place in the face of Sir Charles Tupper's position and that of his Government on the school question? We deserve the supreme contempt of those English Protestants who so generously extended us their hand, and history will prove that we will have received exactly what we deserve. In the future it will be acknowledged that the French-Canadians must be led by the nose in order to have their support, and that generous acts, such as those employed by Sir Charles Tupper and his Ministry, are misunderstood by such people and completely thrown away. The clergy which took so great a part in the contest did not even succeed in making the people understand that the interests and salvation of separate schools were on the side of the party that had inscribed "Justice to the minorities" on its banners, and which had proved its sincerity by proposing a remedial law approved of by the Episcopacy. In spite of the support of the clergy, the three French-Canadian ministers and the author of the bill, the Hon. Mr. Dickey, are amongst the victims. We must conclude, however, that the victory would have been on the side of the Conservatives had the mandement been more implicit and more easily understood by those who wished to understand, for, as it was, a good number of Liberals voted with the government, yet a good number of Conservatives voted for the candidates of Mr. Laurier. This, therefore, is why we assert that the result would have been different had the mandement been so worded as to be understood by all."

## THE COUNCIL AND THE HEALTH OFFICER.

TO THE EDITOR:—Every unprejudiced person will praise the Mayor for protecting the health officer from the malevolent, and for showing his determination not to be trodden on by the unscrupulous. The health officer had done no wrong save that of forgetting to accede to the request of the Mayor, so the Mayor only had the right to forgive or punish the forgetful man. It is not my purpose to discuss how far the Mayor or the vituperative element of the council has the power to interfere with the health officer or the sanitary board, but when the notorious aldermen proclaim their ignorance by declaring the certificates of medical gentlemen in authority as mere rubbish, it is time for the Mayor to step in and stop these blubbery, evil-spouting creatures. Of course they know better than the professional gentlemen; and, of course, they know better than expert engineers about bridge and other scientific matters, and, full of this conceited ignorance, did not even think it necessary that wooden bridges should be examined, and so neglected them altogether, with the result of the Ellice bridge slaughter. This was not an accident, but a result—a result arising from criminal negligence. Surely, then, it is in order for the aldermen who neglected their duty which led to the disaster to dismiss themselves, or for the Mayor to dismiss them and declare their places vacant if possible, for the culpability of these persons has been, and will be, infinitely greater than the harmless disrespect shown to the Mayor only! There cannot be any doubt of this.

M. D.

## MONSTROSITIES.

TO THE EDITOR:—I am sure that by this time the majority of the citizens of Victoria are heartily sick of the political illustrations which appear day after day in the Victoria Daily Times. The last one (July 6) represented Hon. Wilfred Laurier starting off with a heart under his arm and a botanical curiosity strongly resembling a cabbage in his hand, followed by the cheers of a couple in the background. I would recommend the promising young artist to practise on a whitewashed fence in some unfrequented side street before exhibiting his works in public.

YOUNGSTER.

### Roast Clams.

Wash the clams and drain them in a colander for a few minutes, then lay them in a large dripping pan and put the pan into a very hot oven. As soon as the shells begin to open the clams are cooked. It takes from seven to ten minutes to roast them. Have a covered dish hot, and drop the clams into it as soon as they are taken from the shell. Spread over them a mustard cream sauce and serve at once. To make the sauce: Put one cup of milk over the fire in a double boiler. When boiling, gradually stir into it three tablespoonfuls of butter, one of flour and one teaspoonful of dry mustard that have been beaten to a creamy mass. Season with salt and pepper and return to the fire. Cook three minutes, and it is ready to serve. Thin slices of brown bread, buttered, are served with roast clams.

### Clam Fritters.

Chop fine two dozen clams. Make a batter with a pint of flour in which has been sifted a level teaspoonful of baking powder. Add a cup of sweet milk and nearly as much of the clam liquor and two eggs beaten light. Beat hard until it is a smooth batter, then stir in the chopped clams. Put plenty of lard in the frying pan and let it become boiling hot. Put in the batter by the spoonful and cook slowly. When one side is browned, turn the fritters and brown the other side. The batter may be cooked on a griddle like pancakes if preferred.

### Glass Oven Doors.

The latest invention for the housewife's comfort is glass paneled oven doors. Cooks may then watch the progress of food baking in the oven without allowing the cold air to enter or fear the jarring of closing the oven doors, which is so often fatal to souffles, cakes and other dishes.

### Long Gold Chains.

Women everywhere, at home and abroad, are wearing long gold chains. To these chains are attached a watch, lorgnette, locket or other convenient article.

The following amusing bit of evidence was heard in the Hamilton (Scotland) J. P. court: Clerk of court to female witness (wife of the accused)—"Why does your husband keep a dog? He cannot pay for the license." Witness—"Weel, you see, a man aye fancies something. If he didna fancy a dog he might fancy something waur—he might fancy another man's wife." (Great laughter.)


## OUR MAIL.

Our mail brings us every day dozens of letters about Burdock Blood Bitters. Some from merchants who want to buy it, some from people who want to know about it, and more from people who do know about it because they have tried it and been cured. One of them was from Mr. J. Gillan, B.A., 39 Gould Street, Toronto. Read how he writes:

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Victoria, June 13, 1896. je16

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W. H. ELLIS,
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jy1 City Engineer.

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NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof for an Act to incorporate a religious body to be called and known as "The Wesleyan Methodist Connection of Canada," and to authorize such corporation to meet and adopt, frame or repeal constitutions and make regulations for enforcing discipline in said Connection, and to empower said corporation to acquire, receive, and take conveyances of such lands, moneys, mortgages, securities or other property as may be required for the purposes of a chapel or chapels, college or colleges, school or schools or other educational purposes connected with the said Connection, and for the purpose of a printing and publishing house or houses in connection with the said Connection, and for power to undertake and carry on such business of printing and publishing, and for authority and power to endow and support such chapels, colleges and schools, and such printing and publishing house or houses and a book depository or depositories in connection therewith, and to take and receive the benefit of any gift or devise by will or otherwise in its said corporate name or otherwise, and to give said Connection all necessary powers connected therewith.

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Dated at Ottawa this 1st day of June, A.D., 1896. je10-9t

NOTICE—The partnership hitherto existing between Loo Oy Tang and Low Bow, under the name of Charley, as tailors, at 146 Government street, has hereby dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on by Loo Oy Tang, who will receive all money due the late firm. Low Bo, otherwise Charley, Loo Oy Tang. Victoria, B.C., June 16, 1896. je18-1m

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# SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

## A Race to India Arranged Between Two Sailing Vessels Leaving the Sound.

## The Fourth B. C. Salmon Charter of the Season—The Ship "Drumrock."

A Port Townsend dispatch says: An ocean race of 12,000 miles, half way around the world, began this week between two splendidly equipped British ships, Yarkand and Lucipara, bound to Calcutta, British India. The Yarkand loaded a cargo of lumber at Port Blakeley and sailed from this port last Thursday. Her captain will take the western course, passing to the southward of Australia. The Yarkand has sailed from the Sound on two previous voyages to Calcutta, once going by the way of Cape Horn and the Cape of Good Hope and the other voyage by the way of Australia, and made both passages in about 180 days. The Lucipara, which leaves in a day or two, will take the route via Cape Horn and Cape of Good Hope. The Yarkand has just come out of the dry dock and is in trim condition, and the bottom of the Lucipara is somewhat foul, otherwise both ships are evenly matched, and shipmasters are much interested in the outcome, which is the first race from Puget Sound to India.

AN IMMENSE OCEAN CARRIER.

By several hundred tons the biggest sailing vessel that has ever come to this port is now due from England with an immense general cargo for Victoria and Vancouver, consigned to Evans, Coleman & Evans. She is the steel four-masted ship Drumrock, Capt. Bailey, which left London for Victoria on the 10th of March last. The vessel is 3,182 tons register, and was built in 1891 by Remage & Ferguson, of Leith, her owners being Gillison & Chaderson, of Liverpool. She was built under special survey, and is classed 100 A1 at Lloyd's. Her dimensions are given as follows: Length, 329 feet; length of beam, 45 feet; and depth of hold, 25 feet. The big carrier, which is expected to make quick time on her present voyage, has already received a charter for a homeward cargo. She is the fourth of the 1896 salmon fleet thus far secured, but it is yet unknown where she will load.

MARINE NOTES.

The American barkentine Addenda was towed into Royal Roads yesterday morning to await a crew coming from Port Townsend. She is lumber laden from Chemainus for Tientsin, and will probably sail to-day.

The bark Leon, Capt. W. Erickson, which carried a lumber cargo north to Chickeat bay for the construction of a new cannery there some time ago, arrived in Royal Roads yesterday morning seeking a charter.

Sealskins in sacks to the number of about 500 formed the chief part of the freight brought from the West Coast by the steamer Maude, which arrived yesterday afternoon. These come from the store of Antone Luckivitch, at Hesquoit, and are the catches made by Indians. The Maude's trip was uneventful. She brought to Victoria as passengers John Braden, M.P.P., who has been down to Sarita Valley; Rev. Fathers Van Nevel, Braven and Neuleman; Miss Armstrong, who teaches an Indian mission at Alberni; Capt. De Silva and W. Serault.

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## TURKEY'S DANGER.

### The Powers Anxious to Have the Cretan Question Settled at Once—Russia's Attitude.

BERLIN, July 6.—The German foreign office is watching the Crete troubles with intense interest. Though the ministers are away on vacation all can be assembled here on 24 hours' notice. An official standing near to Prince Hohenlohe said to-day that the peace of the world depended upon Turkey's moderation, enforced or otherwise, in this controversy. "If Turkey attacks Greece," he said, "Russia would immediately go to her rescue, while England will rush to protect her interests, and those of Austria being threatened the Dreibund will be immediately engaged. No one can tell what the end will be in that case."

The Vienne Fremdenblatt, an official organ, declares in an article in its issue of yesterday that the powers are desirous that the trouble in Crete shall be settled at once, all of them being aware that a general upheaval in that island would lead to the breaking up of the Turkish empire. Therefore, the Fremdenblatt continues, the powers are determined to maintain the status quo at all hazards. The paper adds that neither a union of Crete with Greece nor the granting of autonomy to the island as claimed by the Cretan radicals will receive the assent of the powers.

The Vossische Zeitung has received advices saying that the Turkish warships in Cretan waters are totally unable to prevent the landing of expeditions from Greece, and narrates the capture of the Turkish torpedo boat Edjer by a party of thirty-five Cretans. The Edjer, which was built at Dantzig for the Turkish government, was capable of developing a speed of twenty-two miles an hour. She was surprised during the night by the band of Cretans, who killed all of her crew except one of her engineers, a German.

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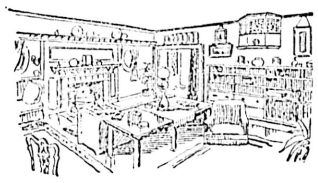
## THE LIVING ROOM.

### It May Be Commodious Even When the House Is Small—Its Furnishings.

Because the house to be built must be small and low priced, it does not follow that all the rooms need be small. If you will do without the time honored parlor and consent to make the hall a little smaller than is now customary, it is possible to have one room on the first floor that will offer many advantages



AN IDEAL LIVING ROOM.

over the usual arrangement. If in addition to its size you can add to one living room a generous fireplace, one or two bookshelves and perhaps a few drawers and a cupboard or two, in which to store the numerous articles needed in such a room, you have provided at least one place in the house that without much effort can be made homelike, livable in and valuable. Thus writes a correspondent of The Ladies' Home Journal, who also provides a sketch of an ideal living room. He says concerning it:

In the center of the east side is the fireplace, flanked on either side by oval windows. Common red bricks make a very good fireplace, both for use and to look at, or for a facing a few antique Dutch tiles in blue and white, which, with the brick lining and unglazed red tile hearth, make a charming effect.

If desired, an "ingle nook" may be made of this side of the room, with box seats on each side of the fireplace. Such seats do not cost as much as furniture, and the space inside is very useful for stowing the logs for the fireplace.

In the front side of the room may be a square bay window, that can have a seat or not, and the west side may be provided with little corner cupboards, stopping under the low ceiling, in which will be provided shelf and drawer room.

### Asparagus Soup.

The following recipe is given in the New York Tribune: Asparagus makes the most delicious of all cream soups. Select the green, unbleached asparagus, even if the stalks are smaller. Half a bunch will make three pints of soup. Cut off the tips and lay them aside to be used as a garnish for the soup. Cut the remainder of the half bunch in small pieces and throw it in three pints of white stock. Add a sprig of thyme, a bay leaf, a spray of soup celery and 6 sprays of parsley, with 12 peppercorns. Let the soup cook for half an hour, then strain it through a puree sieve, pressing through all the asparagus that will pass through. Put the soup over the fire again, add a cup of rich milk or cream and let it boil up again. Add the asparagus tips, which have been cooked for ten minutes in salted boiling water and drained, and serve.

### Selecting Wall Papers.

Before buying your wall papers study your rooms and know just what you require for best results. Yellow is the color for rooms that have no sunshine, particularly if they are living rooms. If you prefer a very light covering for the wall of a sunny room that will not "quarrel," select a cream or buff. Pale green is a good color and is also restful and cool. A light olive is an excellent medium color and combines well with white, old pink, reds and certain shades of blue and yellow. Well lighted rooms can have indian or pompeiian reds on their walls.

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## *NOT OVERTHROWN.*

It seems hard for even the ablest and best informed of the American newspapers to see the true significance of political changes in this Dominion. The New York Herald, for instance, heads its article on the result of the late general election "Overthrow of Protection in Canada." As everyone knows by this time, protection has not been overthrown in Canada. It, on the contrary, has been adopted by the victorious party, which, for election purposes, advocated free trade. We find both the Leader of the Liberals and their chief organ hedging on the trade question. After the election, when performances and not promises are required of the Liberal Leader, we find him declaring, with respect to trade, that his party are reformers not revolutionists, and we also see the Toronto Globe, which has been for many years a strenuous opponent of protection and an ardent advocate of free trade, declaring that "the great majority of Canadians are neither free traders nor McKinley protectionists." These utterances do not show that protection is overthrown in Canada. They rather indicate that the party which professed to regard protection as robbery is prepared to adopt the protective policy which it condemned so bitterly and which it declared its intention utterly to demolish. It is beginning to be evident that the honest and sincere opponents of the late Government have gained nothing by their victory at the polls. The Liberal leader does not propose to initiate a policy of free trade, and he does not intend to keep his hands off Manitoba. He and his French-Canadian followers are pledged to restore to the Roman Catholic minority of Manitoba their separate schools.

## *UNLUCKY PATRONS.*

Before the late elections a good deal was heard of the Patrons. It was predicted that they would form an influential factor in the contest, and that quite a number of them would be returned to Parliament. There were as many as thirty-three Patron candidates in the field, twenty-eight in Ontario, three in Manitoba and two in the Northwest Territories. Of all these candidates there were only four elected, three in Ontario and one in the Territories. This result does not say much for the influence of the order, even in the province in which it appears to be most popular. Its president, Mr. Mallory, who undertook to play the role of boss, was badly beaten in East Northumberland, and that, too, by a Conservative. There was, if our memory serves us, a kind of alliance between the Patrons, the Grits and the McCarthyites, and the candidates of the factions were placed where they would be likely to do most harm to the Conservatives. It is possible that the Patrons were outwitted by the Grits, and were allowed to run in constituencies in which it was impossible for their candidates to be returned, but where they would pick up enough Conservative votes to ensure the return of the Grit candidate. To be made a stool-pigeons of in this way will not, it may be supposed, be very satisfactory to the members of the order. But they should have known that the Grits had too much experience of election contests and were too wide awake to make honest allies. The Patrons might have been sure that their candidate would be sacrificed in every constituency in which it suited the interests of the Grits to knife him. The Grits are no doubt laughing in their sleeves at the pitiful appearance which, now that the contest is over, is made by their dear friends the Patrons.

## *STAY AT HOME.*

Canadians are every year finding by experience, often very bitter, that the United States is not a better country to live in than their own. Farmers in the Eastern provinces who, believing the fine stories that were told them of the superiority of the States to Canada as a farming country, have left their comfortable homesteads to seek their fortunes in the prairie States have been cruelly disappointed. They have found the conditions of life in the new country harder and greatly more unpleasant than they were "at home." Many of them would be glad to return if they were able, but their circumstances are such that they must remain where they are. The Detroit Tribune tells of one Canadian family which succeeded in getting back home after seven years' residence in the United States. This is the story:

"Daniel Omo, with his wife and family, arrived in Windsor early yesterday morning, on their way to Amherstburg from Wisconsin.

"Seven years ago Omo sold his farm near Anderdon and moved to Wisconsin. All went well for a time, but within the last three years repeated failures of crops disgusted Omo, and he decided to go back to the land of his birth. Money was a scarce commodity, however, and railway fares were high, so Daniel covered up his big farm wagon with canvas, stowed away all of his worldly possessions therein, and ordered his family to get aboard. They lost no time in doing so. Then Daniel whipped up his horses and started for Canada.

"This was over five weeks ago, and since that time the Omos have been jostled over roads, good, bad and indifferent until they arrived in Windsor."

Commenting on the above narrative the Ottawa Citizen says:

Instances of this kind are tolerably frequent. Far-off fields are proverbially green, and many an honest Canadian yeoman who finds that he can only make a living at home by hard labor and the sweat of his brow is tempted to believe that in the Golden West life passes more easily and the conditions of success are less exacting. This is a great mistake. Taken altogether there is no part of this continent where intelligent farming pays better than it does here at home in the Province of Ontario.

The Merrimack, a French-Canadian newspaper published in Manchester, New Hampshire, advises the inhabitants of Quebec not to emigrate to the States. Times are hard there, and employment not to be had. They, if they only knew it, are much better off at home than they would be in any of the manufacturing States. Such advice is much more likely to be taken now than it would have been a few years ago when the States appeared in the eyes of the young people of that part of the Dominion a veritable Land of Promise.

## *BALFOUR'S BLUNDERS.*

The British Conservatives are deeply disappointed with Mr. Balfour as leader of the House of Commons. He has greatly fallen in their estimation as a practical politician. Very few leaders have had such a majority at their back as he has, yet the work of the House is done slowly and badly. It is quite evident that the men who form the Conservative majority have little faith in Mr. Balfour as a leader. The late Mr. Smith, though not to be mentioned in the same sentence as Mr. Balfour as far as ability and attainments are concerned, managed the House far better than the present leader. He understood his followers better, and was far more successful in getting them to do what he wanted. He, though not by any means a man of first-rate ability, was a good tactician, and he very seldom allowed his opponents to get an advantage over him. This is what a clever writer in Harper's Weekly, who does not appear to be in the least prejudiced against the Conservatives, says about Mr. Balfour's leadership of the House of Commons:

Mr. Balfour has been outmanœuvred and outgeneralled time after time. He has no genius for—he probably despises—the small parts of parliamentary warfare. He has shown irresolution and weakness; he has allowed debates to dawdle on when a decisive word from him might have saved much precious time. Worse than that, he has displayed a seeming indifference to the duties of his office. It is one of the unwritten laws of the House that the leading member should always be at his post. Mr. Gladstone and Disraeli were rarely absent from the House more than an hour or so at a time. But Mr. Balfour started his career as leader by coming down late and leaving early. Questions which he ought to have undertaken himself were constantly being delegated to inferior members to answer. During the Gladstonian-Rosebery administration the heart and soul of the opposition, the real backbone of the attack, was not Mr. Balfour, but Mr. Chamberlain. As Balfour overshadowed Smith, so Chamberlain is overshadowing Balfour, and before long no one would be surprised to see the imperious Colonial Secretary standing in Mr. Balfour's shoes, and bringing his firmness and decisiveness to bear on the business of the House. Certainly Mr. Balfour's leadership has been somewhat of a disappointment. His failure has puzzled, vexed and estranged his party; and the result was seen the other day when his followers threw off his light-fingered guidance and bolted on the Education bill. He entreated them to rally round the Government and to save the measure, and their answer was to put down over a hundred amendments in three days. The bill was wrecked by its own friends, and the Liberals found the enemy delivered into their hands. Never was there so pitiable a collapse, and Mr. Balfour's inability to control his own supporters was the cause of it. However, Mr. Balfour is only forty-eight, and in English politics a man is not even middle-aged till he is past sixty. He has still twelve years of youth before him—time enough in which to live down his last and most grievous reputation.

The Times in its article of the 16th of June, before the Education bill was wrecked, reflects very severely on Mr. Balfour's management. "While we," it says, "are ready to make all reasonable allowance for the difficulties in which the Government has become involved in the conduct of its business in the House of Commons, we are unable to regard the course which Mr. Balfour submitted yesterday at the meeting of the Unionist party as satisfactory." The course which he afterwards pursued must have been more unsatisfactory still to the Times and to those who desire that the Conservative Government should continue to stand high in the esteem of the people.

## *MINING IN THE "RAND."*

It might be supposed that the troubles in the Transvaal would affect the output of gold in the "Rand." So they did for a short time. The attempted revolution threw business into confusion. The black men who do a great part of the manual labor in the mines became frightened and deserted their work in droves. But after a while, seeing that there was no disturbance, they came back again. There was consequently a large falling off in the yield of gold in January, which was 148,000 ounces as compared with 177,000 ounces in the corresponding month of the preceding year. Bradstreet's, however, reports that:

Latterly, indeed, with the calming down of the political excitement and the active steps taken by the government to insure an adequate supply of labor, the returns have increased materially, the production for May being put at 189,000 ounces, against 194,000 ounces in May, 1895. The figures of the same month this year also show an increase of about 18,000 ounces over those of April, so that it can be concluded that the Rand production is once more on the up-grade, while it is permissible to conclude that, having witnessed the effect of the troubles on the principal industry of the country, the Boer government has no desire to do anything that would check its progress. Whether, indeed, the falling off in the record of 1896 thus far will be made up is a question.

It is to be hoped that, notwithstanding the gloomy predictions of pessimistic journalists and politicians, peace will reign in the Transvaal and that Kruger and his fellow Boers will be convinced that they made a very serious mistake when they withheld from intelligent, enterprising and law-abiding Britons and Americans the privileges of citizenship. It will be very singular if so shrewd a man as he is will not see that it will be better to have them loyal citizens of the republic, earnestly desirous to promote its welfare, than discontented alien residents plotting its downfall.


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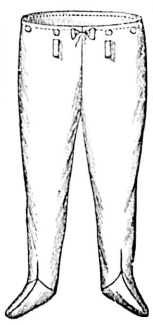

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The Westside.

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## AUCTION SALES.

July 8—Real estate. W. T. Hardaker.
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W. T. Hardaker will, to day at 2 o'clock, sell by public auction, a very fine residence on Douglas street, near the Fountain. The sale will take place on the premises.

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## THE CITY.

GET your tickets for I.O.O.F excursion to Seattle on August 1st.

IN a letter of Indian Commissioner Vowell it is stated that on June 29 the thermometer stood at 96 in the shade at Fort Steele, Kootenay.

THE first meeting of the newly elected directors of the Jubilee hospital, which was to have been held last night, has been postponed for a week.

DAN APPLES, the incorrigible, was given three months by the police magistrate yesterday for getting drunk and using bad language on the street.

A CENTIPEDE, five inches long, picked out of a bunch of pineapples which arrived by the east Australian steamer, is now on view bottled up in alcohol at Erskine & Wall's.

YESTERDAY Mr. Hugh St. Q. Quigley, of Vernon, and Mr. A. W. V. Innes, of Victoria, were presented to the Full court by Mr. A. J. McColl, Q. C., and took the usual oaths of barrister and solicitor.

THE annual meeting of the Y.W.C.A. was held at Mrs. Wm. Grant's residence last night, when the following officers were elected for the year: Miss Moggridge, president; Miss Fawcett, vice-president; Miss Keown, treasurer; Miss Josie Spencer, secretary.

ARCHIE MCGREGOR, a boy working for Spratt & Gray, had his collar bone broken yesterday through being thrown off a rig in a runaway. The horse he was driving freed itself from the main part of the vehicle and galloped through Government street with the shafts and traces attached.

WILLIAM BROWN, alias Siwash Bill, resisted constable Anderson, who went to arrest him for assaulting Fannie Watson, who lives on Chatham street. The constable, however, brought his man along, and Brown was yesterday given two months in jail with a fine of $25, a second term of two months to follow if the fine is not paid.

THE following is the attractive programme for to-night at Mount Baker hotel. The concert begins at 8:30 o'clock: March, "Dorscht," Weigand; overture, "Light Cavalry," Suppe; exhibition of trick bicycle riding by Baisden, the prince of trick riders; caprice, "First heart throbs," Eilenberg; selection, "Southern melodies," Couterno; Spanish ladder act by Cary and Duray. Intermission of 10 minutes. Descriptive piece, "The Post Horn," Schaeffer; fantasia on American airs, Bendix; Baisden, the prince of trick riders; selections from "Martha," Flotow. God Save the Queen.

AT 7:15 o'clock last evening a special Victoria & Sidney train conveyed the first party of Victorians out to the Methodist camp meeting which opened at Sidney yesterday under auspicious circumstances. Mrs. Barrott, a Port Townsend evangelist, addressed the meeting, and among others present were Rev. J. F. Betts and the Rev. J. P. Hicks, of Victoria West. To-day trains will leave Hillside avenue at 9:30 a.m., at 4 p.m. and 7:15. This schedule will remain in force until the close of the camp meeting, and the usual 7 o'clock train will not run until then.

RODERICK MCIVOR, well known in British Columbia through his connection with the C. P. N. Co.'s steamers as engineer, died recently at South Beach, Stornoway, Scotland. From the brief details to hand it is learned that while standing on a chair hanging a picture he fell to the floor, the shock causing an effusion of blood to the brain, from which he died several days afterwards. It had been his intention to again start for Victoria in a few days from the time of the accident. The deceased had many warm personal friends in this city who appreciated the many sterling qualities of which he was possessed.

THE monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Y.M.C.A. is to be held to-night at 8 o'clock.

THE annual meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held in the Temperance hall at 8 o'clock this evening.

THE steamship Braemer, which is under charter to the N. P. Steamship Co. to make two round trips in the Oriental service, was reported from Carmanah at 6 o'clock last evening and should be in port early this morning. This is her first trip to Victoria and she carries a large cargo, consisting of 4,300 tons of tea and 1,000 tons of merchandise.

THE branch hydrographic office at Port Townsend sends the following notice to the COLONIST: "Captain Wm. Tornstrom, of the American schooner Comet, reports that on June 28, 1896, in Lat. 48 deg. 36 min. N., Long. 129 deg. W., passed what was apparently a piece of a vessel's keel, bolted together, about 50 feet long, and evidently been in the water for some time.

## BOARD OF TRADE COUNCIL.

Nominations for an Executive to Be Submitted at the Annual Meeting on Friday.

At a meeting of the council of the Board of Trade held yesterday morning at which there were present Messrs. D. R. Ker, president; T. S. Futcher, B. W. Pearse, E. Pearson, A. H. Scaife, Wm. Templeman, and the secretary, Mr. F. Elworthy, the draft of the report to be presented at the annual meeting on Friday was read and approved.

As there were only a few names handed in for nomination for the executive for the year the council, in accordance with the by-laws, drew up a list which will be submitted to the annual meeting of the Board for approval. The names are: President, D. R. Ker; vice-president, G. Leiser; secretary, F. Elworthy. Council: T. S. Futcher, R. P. Rithet, J. H. Todd, Robert Ward, T. B. Hall, A. C. Flumerfelt, A. H. Scaife, B. W. Pearse, H. C. Macaulay, William Templeman, L. Crease, C. Hayward, E. Pearson, G. A. Kirk and F. B. Pemberton. Board of Arbitration: A. H. Scaife, T. S. Futcher, E. Pearson, J. H. Todd, A. C. Flumerfelt, G. A. Kirk, William Templeman, R. P. Rithet, L. Crease, B. W. Pearse, F. J. Claxton and H. F. Heisterman.

The matter of the E. & N. railway rates and a letter from Ottawa regarding the formation of a Dominion Board of Trade were referred to the incoming council. The same course was taken with respect to a letter from Mr. F. J. Claxton, pointing out the necessity for establishing telegraphic communication with the Skeena, Naas and other northern points.

A report from Mr. Robert Ward, the board's representative at the Congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire, was referred to the meeting of the board on Friday.

## PERSONAL.

Captain Irving has returned from the Mainland.

F. S. Barnard and wife were passengers by the Charmer last night.

Dr. J. R. Duncan and Mrs. Duncan, England, are at the Driard.

Lieut.-Governor Dewdney left Montreal on Saturday en route for England.

Thos. T. May, Seattle, and C. A. Lett, Vancouver, are among the arrivals at the Driard.

W. F. Sargent, Tacoma, and James Ramsay, Vancouver, are registered at the New England.

Hon. J. H. Turner has been confined to his room with a very severe sore throat, and will not be out for a few days.

J. T. McIlmoyle, Sidney, who recently attended the Supreme Lodge meeting A.O.U.W. as a representative from British Columbia, is home again, and is at the Oriental.

Hon. T. A. Brassey, son of Lord Brassey, is at the Driard. He leaves by the next steamer for Australia, and will be accompanied by Mrs. Brassey, who joins him here in a day or two.

The White House.

Summer Sale To-day.

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Don't destroy your Coupon in Reid's Bicycle Contest; a discount of 10 per cent. will be given on every cash purchase on presentation of the Coupon until August 1st.

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## MINERAL HILL GOLD.

The Whole Slope of the Mountain a Series of Gold Quartz Veins.

Mr. Henry Saunders Tells What He Saw in a Visit to the Mines.

Mr. Henry Saunders, the father of the Alberni mining movement, returned on Sunday evening from a visit to the Mineral Hill group of mines. Mr. Saunders is enthusiastic over all the evidences that were present to show that Mineral Hill is sure to become a very rich mining camp. The weather was perfect during the trip and with the improvement in the road from the Duke of York hydraulic claim to De Beaux it is now an easy matter to reach the foot of Mineral Hill.

The Alberni Consolidated is the chief centre of work on the Hill at present, though Mr. Saunders is convinced that the owners of a number of claims adjacent to it have good and sufficient reasons why they should develop their several properties. Work is at present confined to running a tunnel to tap the shaft at a depth of sixty feet. It will require altogether one hundred feet of tunnelling to do this. Capt. Ross and a gang of miners go down on Thursday to reinforce the present staff of men working on the claim, and it is the management's intention to push the work until a point of bullion production is reached. The air compressor plant will be on the ground shortly, and the three-stamp mill now at the Albion Iron Works will be sent in as soon as the road is completed to De Beaux, which will be in about ten days time. Only the bridges now remain to be constructed, and work was begun on these on Monday. The recent mill test of Alberni ore was a satisfactory one. Besides the free gold to the amount of $67.50 for the 2,800 pounds the concentrates assayed $200 per ton, or $20 to the ton of ore. In this test, only the ore from the bottom of the shaft, where it is six feet wide, was crushed, none of the phenomenally rich rock being put through. The result was satisfactory to the company, as is evidenced by their desire to push work on the road and trail and on the mine night and day.

Adjoining the Alberni claim on the north is the Missing Link, which has also the Alberni ledge. It shows on the surface two feet in width, and has the same character of free milling ore, with the gold plainly visible through it. The owners of this claim, in Mr. Saunders' opinion, are allowing a very fine property to remain undeveloped, when a little work would prove a valuable mine.

Lying south of the Alberni claim and cut by Mineral creek is the Last Dollar. This claim has the extension of the Alberni ledge, which was shown to Mr. Saunders by a miner working in the Alberni.

The Ace of Spades claim, which lies to the extreme west of the Mineral Hill group, has on it a two-foot vein of white iron stained quartz, carrying gold and copper. The vein has been traced for two hundred feet and lies between well defined walls of slate. But little work has been done on it, but while Mr. Saunders was there a shot was put in and some samples brought back to Alberni. Several of these gave remarkably high assay returns in gold. A gang of men went to work on Monday and a shaft will be sunk. As soon as possible a mill sample will be sent to San Francisco or Tacoma for a test of its value.

The Mountain Rose claim is about 1,500 feet west of Mineral Creek. It is owned by Vancouver parties who have stocked it for $250,000. On this claim is a well defined ledge of ore of the same character as that found in the Ace of Spades. The ledge is two feet wide and is in slate walls. It runs east and west and is traced through the Mineral claim, which adjoins it on the west.

Mr. Saunders also visited the Quadra company's group of mines, the Last Chance, Quadra and Ophir claims. The principal work has been done on the Last Chance, where there is a shaft forty feet in depth. Notwithstanding Mr. Carlyle's statement that the shaft was in country rock. Jack Merrifield, an old-time miner, who has the work in charge, believes it quartz, and is confident that a little further work will show an excellent ledge of quartz. Mr. Saunders has samples from the bottom of the shaft, which expert mining men pronounce an excellent quartz charged with iron pyrites. The work of sinking will be continued until fifty feet is attained, when drifting and crosscutting will be done.

On the Quadra claim a ledge of red and white quartz forty feet in width has been found, and is traceable for some distance. Although showing mineral, it has not as yet been assayed.

On the Ophir claim is a vein of quartz four feet in width. A tunnel has been run into it a short distance. Assays made have returned from $10 to $100 per ton. One made by Pellew Harvey returned $48.27 to the ton.

The above were all the quartz claims visited by Mr. Saunders. The whole of Mineral Hill, he says, seems to be intersected with quartz carrying gold, silver and copper. Some run north and south, while others lie easterly and westerly. Were the showings as good in Kootenay as on Mineral Hill, Mr. Saunders believes there would have been a great development long ago. However, he is confident the work now being done will demonstrate that on Mineral Hill are some of the richest mines in the province.

On the Duke of York hydraulic claim, on China creek, there is quite a little village formed by the various buildings of the company. The flume was constructed, derrick erected, and everything else in readiness to begin washing to-day, Wednesday. All the work done has been completed in a first-class manner, while the ground has been thoroughly prospected, and Mr. Loveridge, the manager, believes a month's washing will bring an excellent return in gold.

Mr. Saunders advice to all interested in the progress of Victoria, and the island, is to visit the Alberni mining camps and see for themselves the great mineral deposits awaiting capital to develop and produce the precious metals. The journey is easily and cheaply made, and when the C.P.N. Co.'s steamer Tees is on the route, to visit the mines will be little more than a pleasurable holiday outing. Good accommodation can now be had at all points between Victoria and Alberni, while the meal taken at the Duke of York claim, Mr. Saunders pronounces one of the most palatable he ever had.

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## STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

Market Dull for Political Reasons Despite the Firm Tone.

NEW YORK, July 7.—Political considerations to-day engrossed the attention of the financial community to the neglect of the stock markets. Business on this account was restricted and a slackening of the foreign demand for securities was also reflected. In spite of this fact, however, the tone of the market was fairly firm throughout. The market was dull and lower despite the higher tendency of quotations, the depression being attributed to the non-appearance of buying orders for that account and the realization. The general list worked to a point showing slight advances over yesterday's figures. The market continued dull up to the closing, which was firm with fractional changes in either direction, but mainly advances. Closing bids:

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| Atchison | 14 |
| Chicago, Burlington & Quincy | 72½ |
| C., C. C. & St. L. | 28¾ |
| Delaware & Rio Grande, preferred | 46⅞ |
| Delaware, Lackawanna & Western | 158½ |
| Louisville & Nashville | 49⅝ |
| Northern Pacific, preferred | 17 |
| Reading | 14⅛ |
| Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific | 63¼ |
| Western Union | 82½ |
| C.P.R. in London | 63 |
| C.P.R. in Montreal | 60½ |

## THE "CALIFORNIA" CAPITALIZED

A Promising Rossland Property Taken Up by Eastern Men—Toronto Capital Largely Interested.

TORONTO, July 7. — (Special) — The Montreal correspondent of the World says he is informed that the California mine at Rossland, B.C., has been stocked as a company, Rufus H. Pope, M. P. for Compton, being president, and Hon. W. B. Ives, minister of trade and commerce, one of the trustees. The stock of the company will be placed on the Toronto market during the present week, and it is said some of the wealthiest men in the Queen City will be among the first holders. The claim in question is considered to be one of the best prospects in the Rossland camp being not far distant from the famous Le Roi and Josie mines.

## THE FRASER FALLING.

The Trouble from Floods Believed to Be Over.

VANCOUVER, July 7.—(Special)—The water in the Fraser river is said to have fallen at every point measured along the river and the trouble is believed to be over.

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## TORONTO TOPICS.

Murder Suspects Set Free—To Prevent Commercial Uncertainty.

TORONTO, July 7.—(Special)—James Clarke and Mathew Fraser, who have been in custody for three weeks charged with murdering Joe Martin, the horse trainer, at Woodbine on April 28, were set free this morning. No case could be made out against them, and the murder remains an absolute mystery.

The World says it is understood that a number of prominent commercial men and manufacturers have combined for the purpose of keeping up the price of stocks and the buoyancy of the general market until the tariff uncertainty has passed by.

## BISHOP OF NESQUEALLY.

The Pope Appoints a Bishop for Washington State.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 7.—The Pope has appointed Rev. Edward Odea bishop of the diocese of Nesqually, which comprises nearly all the State of Washington. He is at present rector of St. Patrick's church at Portland, Or.

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# ALL SORTS OF CYCLES.

## Inventions That Keep Pace With the Needs of the Hour.

### SOME ARE MECHANICAL CURIOS.

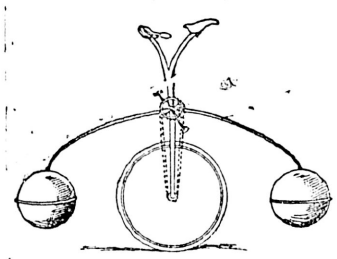
**Kuhn's Queer Balancing Unicycle—A New and Convenient Bicycle Rack—The Swiss Normal Bicycle—Why Women Have Abandoned the Use of Leggings.**

The best evidence of the tremendous increase in the popularity of cycling is found in the fact that inventors and manufacturers of bicycles are never satisfied with their products, but are continually making improvements. There has been a veritable freshet of inventions this season, and as yet there is no sign of abatement. A large part of the "improvements" that are offered are mere innovations which have no practical utility. There are cycling "cranks" whose credulity keeps pace with their erratic ingenuity, and these have put forth a number of mechanical curios which they vainly hope to see accepted by the votaries of the wheel. To these we are indebted for the "amphibious" cycle, which, its author fondly asserts, can make good time on land or water. Then there is the wheel with the airship attachment, designed to lift itself over obstacles and carry on a general wheeling and flying business, and others of like character.

Some of the late inventions, however, possess features that commend them to the craft. For instance, there is that odd looking contrivance whose design Mr. W. F. Kuhn of Brooklyn evolved from his inner consciousness. Mr. Kuhn is a modest mechanic and comparatively unknown, and yet, if his unicycle is proved to possess all the powers and possibilities he claims for it his name will be a household word and his fortune will be made.

This machine is particularly awkward in appearance, but it is said that what it lacks in symmetry it makes up in speed. Furthermore, Mr. Kuhn claims that the unicycle can be sent along with a great deal less exertion than is needed to propel the ordinary safety. He says also that it is much easier for the rider to maintain his balance upon the unicycle than upon the two wheeled machine in use today.

Mr. Kuhn's invention is provided with two hollow bulbs, projecting fore and aft



THE LATEST UNICYCLE.

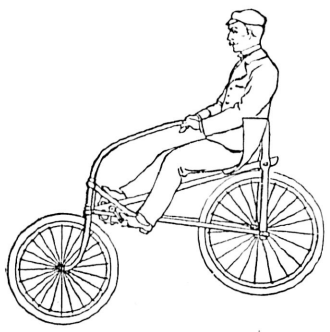
of the wheel beneath the saddle. These bulbs contain a moving mechanism constructed according to a method which the inventor will not reveal. He claims that his idea is as simple as it is effective.

The tire is of the ordinary pneumatic order, made twice the usual weight, to make it doubly strong. The gear of the model is 80 inches, but can be made to suit the rider. The weight of the machine is 23 pounds.

The average wheelman has such a high regard for his wheel that he refuses to tempt sneak thieves by leaving it outside the house during its periods of inactivity. As many residences are lacking in "lumber rooms" or other convenient receptacles for cycles, the wheelman is compelled to leave his friend of the road leaning about in hallway, dining room or kitchen. The inconvenience of such bestowal has been long and universally bewailed, but the trouble is at an end. A beneficent genius has designed a handle bar that can be turned so as to stand parallel with the wall, and another has invented a bicycle rack by means of which the wheel may be hung up out of the way so that it becomes more of an ornament than an impediment.

One of the most striking novelties of the hour comes from Switzerland. It is called the normal bicycle, but that is not the way it looks. It has the general appearance of a modernized "go cart," and yet it is said to have excellent points. It is claimed for it that it is capable of great speed, that the rider has a support for his back and can thus utilize more of his leg power. Those who are attempting to introduce it in America also assert that the upright position in which it holds the body keeps the internal organs in their proper relative positions rather than crowded one over the other, as is the case when the body is bent forward.

The decadence of the popularity of leggings for wheelwomen is quite noticeable upon public highways frequented by cyclists. At the very start they were found to be hot and uncomfortable, but that didn't make any difference to the dear women who are always willing to undergo discomfort for appearances' sake, but



THE NORMAL BICYCLE.

when they found that appearances were against them and that the leggings they thought so shapely were wrinkling down and making their ankles look thick as gas posts they pronounced a decree of banishment upon them, and soon they will be seen no more.

**Drawing at the Tennis Tournament.**

At the national championship tennis tournament, which will be held at Newport begining Aug. 18, the method of drawing will be the same as that used last year. The four leading players among the entries will be drawn in different sections, so that they cannot meet before the semi finals, and a second four, next in playing ability, will be treated in the same way. This is an excellent system, for it precludes the possibility of an inferior player reaching the semifinals.

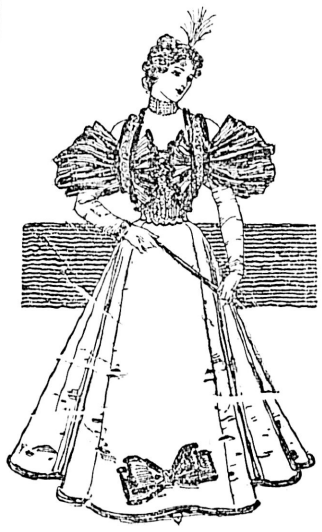
## FASHIONABLE MATERIALS.

**Expensive Grenadines With Silk Linings. Silk Canvas and Changeable Alpaca.**

Amid the large variety of dress materials prepared for summer wear the most fashionable and the most expensive are the transparent canvases and grenadines, which not only cost a great deal of money in themselves, but necessitate a silk lining. Silk linings are light of weight and therefore desirable, but they are not durable unless the silk is of very good quality. The cheaper grades, as well as the silk faced cotton linings, are mere traps for the unwary, for they split and pull apart almost at once. A dollar a yard or a little less for skirt lining is rather an extravagant expenditure, especially when the narrow width of silk is considered. Yet a durable silk lining can hardly be obtained for less.

China silks for gowns are well liked. Many colors are often shown in the floral design with which they are covered, but the tints are harmonious and the general effect artistic.

Silk canvases, which border very closely on grenadines, are in flavor. These are charming over a silk lining, the latter being often supplied by a last season's gown, which is rather too brilliant in tone to be worn now. The grenadine over it tones it



EVENING GOWN.

down sufficiently to make it satisfactory. Black gauze, chiffon and mousseline de soie are largely used over bright colored silks, but sometimes a darker shade of the same color is preferred to black.

The new alpacas are very pretty, some of the shot effects being almost as rich and glossy as silk. The broche and goat's hair varieties are equally attractive.

The evening gown illustrated has a skirt of white satin very much rippled. It is bordered with a narrow band of silk beaver, and the tablier has a large bow of ruby satin edged with beaver near the foot. The corselet bodice is of embroidery, the decolletage being very decided. A drapery of ruby satin is carried across the back and over the upper part of the arms to form sleeves, ending in two fans in front. The drapery is held in place by bretelles of embroidery edged with beaver.

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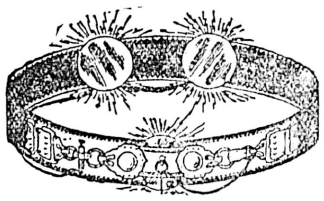

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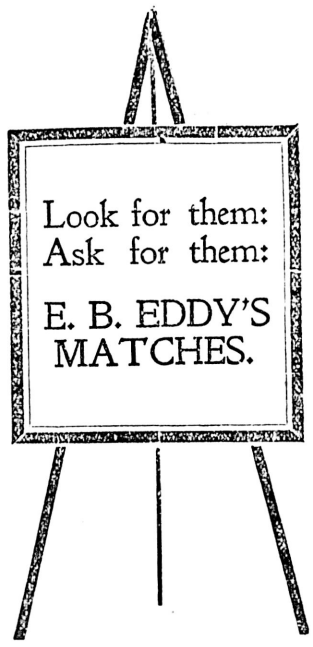


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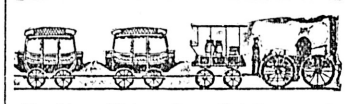

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## FEMININE VIEWS.

**Edith Sessions Tupper's Personal and General News and Notes.**

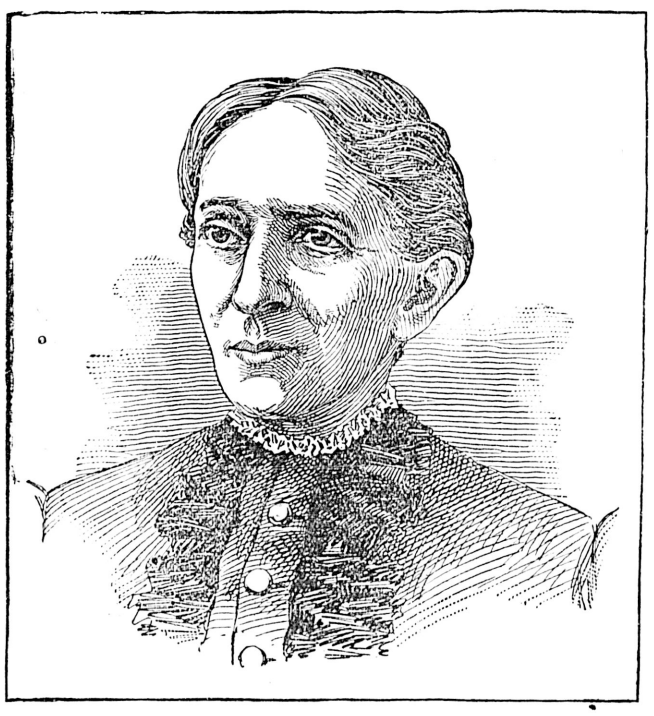
When will American gentlewomen learn that it is bad form to discuss their wardrobes in street and cable cars and "L" trains? Above the clatter of machinery and the sound of the horses' hoofs on the pavement rises the shrill feminine voice proclaiming the condition of her clothes to the listening public. In a surface car a day or so since two young women discussed bicycle gowns, shirt waists and pyjamas at the top of their strong, youthful lungs, much to the amusement of the other passengers. With an utter disregard for those who listen breathlessly to the details of their frocks and underwear, women continue to regale each other with what they "are going to have" and "how it is to be made," as if one human being cares particularly what the next creature wears.

I think the so called women's pages of certain newspapers are much to blame for this nuisance. A good share of space is taken up with descriptions of gowns which no woman ever thinks of copying. But the average woman devours this vitiating literature and comes to think and talk clothes and nothing else. I do not wonder that scientists declare that the brain of woman is smaller than that of man. What in heaven's name would we call a man who directly he takes a seat in a public conveyance would yell at his companion, "Well, how are you going to have your spring pants cut—straight or bias?"

The vanity of my sex crops out in other ways in cars and trains. I was going to the theater the other night and sat directly opposite a large, tall woman, who was very splendid indeed. Her white gloves were only half way on her big, plump hands. Presently she removed one, and in a voice which might be heard in Denver said to her companions, a very nice looking elderly couple: "I forgot to take off my rings. I never wear them out—always leave them at home. I don't see how I forgot them." By this time of course every man, woman and child in the car was fairly devouring the flashing gems on her hands. Then she took off a turquoise as big as a hazelnut set round with diamonds, and blew upon it, and polished it, and smelled of it—why, heaven only knows!

You may remember that I prophesied that the memory of the French freak Guilbert would soon fade. Even now the critics, who declared her to be so remarkable, are comparing her with the sturdy singer of coster monger ditties, to the latter's advantage. Well, we can all understand the language of the London slums, besides its clean, decent fun. We none of us, however big our pretensions, could understand Yvette's drawling nastiness. Think of it! A man would be ashamed to earn his living singing dirty songs; it remains for a woman to do this indecent work.

It is a flower season. That's sure. The artificials which fill the shops were never so exquisite as this spring. Whole bonnets and toques are made of violets and pansies, with a rose stuck carelessly here and there. The bodices of evening gowns are a mass of roses or poppies.



MISS MARY GARRETT.

There are buttons painted with flowers and flower boas and capes trimmed with blossoms, and even shoes made of tiny flowers are shown by some importing houses, made to wear with flower trimmed evening gowns. These flower fashions are charming for fresh young beauties, but, oh, the women we shall see wearing rosebuds and violets when they should sport hollyhocks and sunflowers.

In the eulogies of the late John A. Cockerill I have not seen one fact mentioned concerning his character, and that is his consideration for newspaper women. When he left The World, he was deluged with regretful letters written by women who had worked for him. To the writer he said: "I've had a letter of regret from every woman who ever worked for me, and I'm prouder of them than of any others I've had, for I have always tried to be kind to women writers. It's hard enough to be a woman at the best, God knows, and when she is obliged to earn her living by honest work she should be treated kindly by every man." To the reporters he used to say: "Boys, if you can help it, don't write a line that will cause a woman grief. Don't bring tears to a woman's eyes."

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## THE NEW WOMAN.

**The First Lesson In Her Science of Political Economy.**

One of the most hopeful signs of the times is the warm interest women are taking in political subjects, especially political economy apart from mere partyism. In states where women vote of course there is an added zest in the thought of possible officeholding. But in every state, all over the country, at it they are, these blessed women, pegging away at economic questions, at parliamentary usage and extempore speaking. They admire Major McKinley, all of them, but this has not prevented them from analyzing the McKinley tidal wave. The more they examine into it the more they wonder at the curious reasoning or unreasoning processes of the mighty masculine mind. During the term of President Harrison a high tariff bill was introduced into congress by Major McKinley and passed. While it was in operation the Republican party encountered its cold wave and was swept out of power. In the summer of 1893, the same tariff law being still in operation, the panic came. After the crash had overwhelmed us the Democratic party, now by this time in power, passed the Wilson low tariff bill, and it in turn became law. Still the hard times continued, under high tariff and low tariff. But now, on the principle that any change is better than no change at all, the mighty masculine mind is clamoring for high tariff again, having forgotten absolutely that it was under the actual working of the higher tariff law we have had in recent years that the business crash was precipitated on us. Men forget, too, that the gallant Major McKinley, even if he were elected, would have no more to do with passing a law for high customs duties than the man in the moon, except that he would have the privilege of signing it if congress should pass it. Congress with the present complexion of the senate certainly could not pass it. Yet the mighty masculine mind rips itself up in enthusiasm for Major McKinley, who they say will bring good times, something which the Almighty himself does not as present see fit to do. If women had the ordering of political issues, they would send a circular all over the United States reading as follows: "Brethren and sisters, business panics and crashes move in cycles. They come because for a term of years all mankind runs into debt, speculates, enters into wild credit schemes. There comes a time when suddenly a majority of mankind are asked to pay up. One cannot do it. Because he cannot do it a thousand others cannot, and all go to smash together. What is more, when times are good lay up something to tide you over business depressions. So shall you abide safe through all kinds of politics, so shall you be spared from making a frantic fool of yourself as you dance after this or that political ignis fatuus which only leads you up to your neck in the swamps." Here endeth the first lesson in woman's science of political economy.

ELIZA ARCHARD CONNER.

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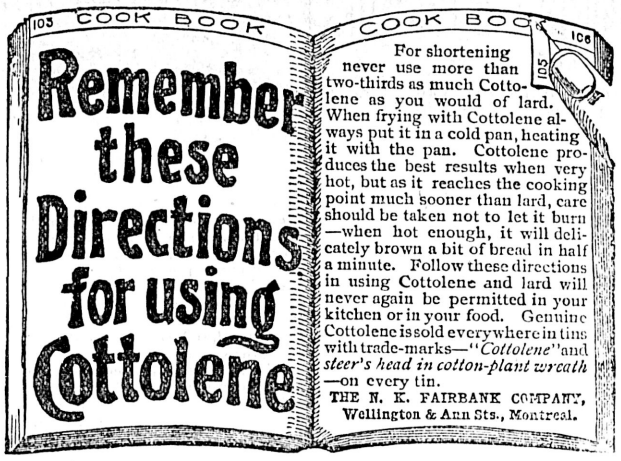


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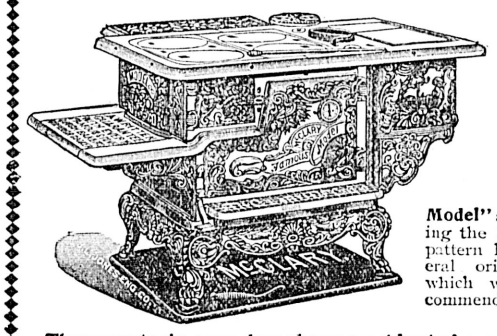

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| " 1877, " 1907 | *123-126 | ..... |
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| Bank of British Columbia | £20 | ..... |
| Bank of Montreal | ..... | ..... |
| B.C. Corporation, Ld | ..... | ..... |
| B.C. Land & Inv. Agency, Ld. | $86 | ..... |
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| Victoria-Phœnix Brewing Co. | $51.25 | $40 |
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*London quotations.

### THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, July 7, 1896.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

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| 1 a.m. | 58° | Mean 61° | The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows: |
| 5 a.m. | 59° | | |
| 9 a.m. | 68° | Highest 71° | 5 a.m.—Calm. |
| 1 p.m. | 63° | | 1 p.m.—20 S. |
| 5 p.m. | 59° | Lowest 56° | 9 p.m.—4 S. |
| 9 p.m. | 58° | | Rain—.00 |

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Sunshine—7 hrs. 12 min.

Barometer 9 a.m. ... Observed .....30.135 Reduced .....30.070

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

### PASSENGERS.

Per steamer CHARMER from Vancouver—Capt Irving, F S Barnard and wife, Miss Prior, R Collister, F J Wheeler, R G Penn, C H Wilkinson, J W Campeon, C Smith, H W Findley, A York, Jas Pearson, G Mitchell, A R Tufts, Mrs B H Wilson, J Ramsay, H Wiffin, R J Horten, J L Beckwith, Jno Boyd, Miss Allan, F Angus, W G Pinder, F M York, J Graham and wife, C A Lett, T Pressay, Mrs Metcalf, Mrs Manson, Miss Carr, Miss M Carr, Mrs Wilson.

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Per steamer KINGSTON from the Sound—Mrs Dunker, J Phillips and daughter, T Toney, G Markham, F Rosling, Mrs A T Kendall, S Silverton, Miss Braid, A F Halloway, Wm Rankin, Miss Maderon, Mrs P Levy, Mrs Cavanot, W F Shrymil, F Frohich and wife, Miss Town, Miss Brayborn, Mrs P A Feetts and son, W H Norris, G H Seelig, P Peterson, S F Asham, Geo Butler and wife, Mrs T Cooper, Miss Rouse, Mrs Bush, Mrs Seele,, J T Williams, Mrs M Nuhn, L McLibosk, C H Gibbons, J Arkenham, D Colsky, C Billing, P McRay, S D Day, A Filman, G Anderson, P Swanson, P Johnson, Mrs Dunkor, Mrs T Reed, Miss F H Relf, K S Johnson, Miss Brantin, W Young, E W Shutter, and sixty-eight excursionists.

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### BIRTH.

CRAIGIE—In this city, on the 6th inst., the wife of Eli Craigie, of a son.

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Buy carpenter tools at Cheapside. x

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# CHARITABLE LADIES.

First Bazaar and Sale of Work of the Agenorian Society Held Yesterday.

Will Continue To-day—Its Object Is to Benefit the Jubilee Hospital.

Something really artistic and appreciable in the way of combined effects is certain to be the good fortune of those who visit Assembly hall, which is now being utilized by the Agenorian Society for the first bazaar conducted under its auspices. The hall is gay with bunting of every description and is enlivened by the presence of the many handsomely dressed ladies who preside over the stalls. The objects of the Agenorian Society are purely philanthropic. The association was organized a little over a year ago for the purpose of aiding the Jubilee hospital, its more immediate aim at present being to supply means for the equipment of a steam laundry in connection with that institution. Judging from the success of yesterday's bazaar, its aim in this respect bids fair to be fully realized. By a coincidence, the great majority of the officers of the society reside on the Gorge road, the ladies holding these positions being: President, Mrs. D. M. Eberts; vice-presidents, Mrs. Rykert and Mrs. Gaudin; and secretary, Mrs. H. M. Yates.

At noon yesterday the bazaar was formally inaugurated, the proceedings being conducted by Mayor and Mrs. Beaven. At 3 o'clock the sale of work was opened by Mrs. Dewdney. During the day a splendid luncheon was provided and the patronage extended to it was so great that this morning the lady managers are compelled to ask for a new supply of the material requisite. This will have to be forthcoming in good season to-day, and those who are desirous of assisting will therefore take the hint.

An octagon shaped flower booth, stocked with the choicest season's buds, has been placed immediately inside the door of the hall. This tastefully adorned little spot is presided over by Miss Charles, Miss Loewen, Miss K. Davis and Miss Aspland. One is no sooner inside the hall, however, than a card attracts his attention announcing that a prize will be given for the best painted butterfly. Following the instructions of the card a booth is entered in the left-hand corner of the hall where the artistic contest proceeds at a small cost to the competitors. Miss Laura Loewen officiates at this work, while in another corner of the same booth Miss Emma Loewen, for a small consideration, reads fortunes with guaranteed accuracy. This booth was arranged by the ladies of St. James' church, and is one of the most attractive of the whole show.

Miss Seabrook and Miss Heisterman have a large and attractive display of candies and sweets in an adjoining stall, while in another the Victoria West branch of the senior society have a desirable assortment of fancy goods which are being sold by Mrs. (Captain) Gaudin, Mrs. Goepel, Mrs. Carmichael and Miss Rich. A well conducted and profitable business is carried on by a junior society represented by Miss C. Hall, Miss Aikman, Miss V. Heisterman and Miss Chambers. Miss Harvey ably manages a tea table in the interest of a Christ Church cathedral society in the extreme left-hand corner of the room, and adjoining her department are a number of luncheon tables pleasantly presided over by Mrs. Gore, assisted by the following ladies: Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. J. McB. Smith, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Tiarks, Mrs. James Raymur, Mrs. Sweet, Mrs. Wilmot, Mrs. Byrnes, and an efficient staff of young ladies, Miss Lawson being cashier.

A wheel of fortune in charge of Mrs. H. Yates and Miss Goward is almost constantly in operation, and near by is an ice cream and lemonade stand under the management of Mrs. Chambers, Mrs. Seabrook, Miss Nelson and Miss Johnson. Here probably the liveliest trade in the bazaar is done. Along the right hand side of the hall are a number of very pretty booths and it is in the stocking of these—all the handiwork of ladies—that the best illustration of the deft industry of a number of ladies for months past is developed. Overseeing the plain work table are Mrs. Erb, Mrs. Heisterman, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Blackwood. Miss Erb and Miss Jackson, assisted by Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Ker, have a daintly arranged variety of fancy goods in the booth adjoining. Following in order is the well supplied art stall, which is in charge of the Misses Dunsmuir and Miss O'Reilly. A bubble table is in charge of Mrs. Langley.

During the evening the Fifth Regiment band rendered a very pleasing programme.

The admission has been made free for this afternoon and reduced to 10 cents for this evening.

THE official count of votes cast at the recent general election in Vancouver Island district was concluded on Monday, when the figures were found to stand as follows: McInnes, 1020; Haslam, 823; Haggart, 647. There were 68 rejected and 38 spoiled ballots.

TUG Lorne, which went ashore off Beachy bay with the bark Melrose on Sunday night, was hauled on the Esquimalt marine ways yesterday where an injured forefoot and other damages sustained will be made good. A survey of the injuries to the Melrose is being made. It is not yet decided whether she will proceed or enter dock for repairs.

Complete shaving outfits at Fox's. x

# SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Leander Beats the Yale Crew at Henley Regatta With Comparative Ease.

The Race Was Rowed on Its Merits and the Best Men Won.

HENLEY, July 7.—In the heat between Yale and the Leander rowing club, the Leanders won to-day. The Yale men were afloat at 9:45 a.m. and took a short trial spin to test the rigging of their boat.

The weather was cloudy and oppressive, there was scarcely a breath of air at noon to-day. All the morning trains arrived heavily laden with rowing enthusiasts, but the crowd was not as great as expected. Yale colors were seen everywhere on the grand stand, in the enclosure, house boats, launches and small boats. Mr. James R. Roosevelt, secretary of the United States embassy, was present.

Previous to the beginning of the racing Bob Cook said that with conditions as they were at 11:30, there was not the slightest advantage in either Bucks or Berks station. He added it was a perfectly fair course, and thought the Leanders would win by from a length to a length and a half.

When the umpire's launch left the press stand for the start Bob Cook, Major Stewart, one of the stewards, Col. Willan and Puttman, representatives of the stewards, reporters for three sporting papers, a representative of the New York World, a representative of the Associated Press, and Kent, last year's stroke for the Leanders, were the only passengers. The vicinity of the start was almost deserted, everybody who could do so having crowded towards the finish, leaving only a few steam launches and a number of row boats about the starting line.

The Leanders were waiting in mid-stream when Yale was on the point of embarking. The fatter wore white jerseys edged with blue. The Leanders looked nonchalant and confident, while the Yale men looked very solemn. Langford and Treadway kept moistening their lips, and little Clarke, the coxswain, was very pale. His voice sounded strange as he called: "Row her around, one." There was a long nervous wait before the boatmen in punts alongside the piles in the middle of the river could get the boats even. Then Col. Willan said: "I shall ask once. Are you ready? If I get no answer I shall say 'go' a second later."

The crews started well and prettily together at 1.33¼. "This is a surprise," said Kent, as the Leanders, who had counted on getting away first, were unable to shake off the Americans, and on the contrary Yale kept more than even, rowing a beautiful, clean stroke, then steadily forged ahead, with Leander vainly trying to overtake her. Yale showed herself quick at starting, but at the end of the island the Leanders had a lead of one man, and were steadily creeping away, rowing evenly and powerfully. The cheering along the course from the start was fair and impartial, and as the two crews rowed almost neck and neck for over half the distance, there were cries from both banks of the river, "Well rowed, Yale!"

At the half distance it looked as if Yale might win, but at the finish the New Haven men were exhausted and sat leaning on their oars, while several of them dashed water over their faces. The Leanders were comparatively fresh. As boats appeared in sight near the finish there was tremendous applause, shouting and flags waving, and excitement increased until it became a hurricane demonstration in favor of Yale upon the part of the Americans, and in favor of Leander in the case of the British. Yale partizans on the grand stand were fairly wild with excitement. The time of the race was seven minutes and a quarter of a second.

When Yale's boat was taken from the water, Rogers and Brown had to be assisted into the boat house, where they were laid on the floor. Several of the Leanders attended immediately and began chafing their arms, etc., doing everything possible to revive the sufferers. It was at first feared that Brown had broken a blood-vessel, and Rogers lay gasping for breath while the attendants quickly brought water and sponges with which they bathed their faces and chests. Brown was scarcely able to speak, but he stammered out, "How is Rogers?" Other members of the crew are in good shape, although Captain Treadway was bathed in perspiration as he sat on the edge of the boat and repeated, "Never mind; we did the best we could."

The crew bore their defeat pluckily and manfully, and many Leander men who came to the Yale boathouse warmly congratulated the Americans on the game fight they made. As soon as Brown and Rogers were sufficiently recovered they were assisted by the substitutes and placed in a carriage and driven to the Yale headquarters. When the race was over a crowd of boats with American and Yale flags, which had gathered about the finishing line, disappeared, and as a rain shower followed close upon the termination of the contest the Americans departed.

After the heat had been decided, Col. Willan, representative of the Henley stewards, other regatta officials and prominent rowing men went to the Yale boat house and shook hands with Bob Cook and the American oarsmen, expressing regret that they had not won. Everybody here joined in praising Bob Cook for his admirable handling of the Yale crew. He was never away for more than an hour since they landed, and the crew have expressed to him their gratitude. Bob certainly never worked harder to get a crew in fit condition to win a race.

Longford, talking over the race, remarked: "I felt the men behind me growing tired. They were unable to keep up the high stroke, therefore I dropped it and lengthened. Later on Treadway and myself tried to raise the stroke, but we found we could not do so to advantage as the men were doing their utmost as it was."

NEW YORK, July 7.—Mr. Cook, coach of the Yale crew, in a copyrighted cable despatch to the Commercial Advertiser from Henley-on-Thames this afternoon, says in part: "It is only what might have been expected. There are no excuses to be made and probably none are expected. Yale had several set-backs. Our crew was slower, less energetic and lacked the rythmic motion of the more experienced Leander crew. Yale was beaten and the Leanders won purely on their merits. Yale's reception on the course was extremely popular, all classes joining in recognition of Yale's good appearance and pluck. Yale's defeat is due to no lack of pluck or courage, but simply to the fact that the English crew was better drilled and rowed with almost absolute perfection bote in time and in the direct application of their power. Our reception by the English was charming. In every respect they have been well pleased with the Yale crew, and their coaches express the hope that Yale will try it again, and will always be welcome here.

"If we have lost the race, we have made good friends in England."

In the first trial heat for the Grand challenge cup the First Trinity beat the London Rowing Club by a length. Time, 7.20. In the second heat New College beat Trinity Hall. Time, 7.19. Third heat, Leander beat Yale. Time, 7.00¼.

First heat for the diamond sculls R. Beaumont, of Burton-on-Trent, beat F. Beddington, of the Medway Rowing Club; the second heat was won by Vivian Nickals, of the London Rowing Club, against Sidney Swan, of Cambridge. Hon. Rupert Guinness, present holder of the trophy, won the third heat from H. T. Blackstaffe; Dr. W. S. McDowell, of Chicago, won the fourth heat against E. A. Guinness, brother of the trophy holder.

The first heat of the Wyford challenge cup, four oars, was won by Trinity College, Oxford, against the Thames Rowing Club; Cain's College beat the Molesley Boat Club in the second heat, and in the third heat the London Rowing Club beat Christ Church, Oxford.

Eton won the first heat of the Ladies' challenge plate against Jesus College, Oxford; Baliol College, Oxford, winning second heat against Bedford Grammar School.

In the first heat of the race for the Stewards' challenge cup for four oars, the crew of the London Rowing Club beat the crew of Cain's College, Cambridge, by a bare length. Part of the race was rowed during a heavy rain storm. Time, 7:50.

### YACHTING.

THE PORT TOWNSEND RACES.

At the races at Port Townsend in connection with the Fourth of July celebration the Victoria yachts were the Nancy, Frou Frou, Irene, and Wideawake. There was two days' racing—on Friday and Saturday. On the first day the Nancy won a silver cup as second in class C, her time being 1:45:03 against 1:39:37 for the Ariadne, the Falcon also contesting. On Saturday, in class D, the Imp won in 45:07 against 47:18 for the Frou Frou.

### HERE AND THERE.

BRIEF NOTES OF CURRENT HAPPENINGS.

The Capital Gun Club hold their regular monthly meeting at Smith's bakery, Fort street, this evening.

On Saturday evening Taff James, of H.M.S. Satellite, and Tom Barlow, of H.M.S. Imperieuse, spar ten rounds with six-ounce gloves at the Caledonia Park for a trophy given by the management. Both men are middleweights, and are said to be quite handy with the gloves.

### WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Poisoned by Drinking Milk—Suspected Murderer Not Identified—C. P. R. Land Sales.

WINNIPEG, July 7.—(Special)—Nine persons at a McLeod, Alberta, hotel were poisoned by drinking milk at breakfast. All have recovered.

The C.P.R. land sales for the past six months of the year were greatly in excess of last year for the same period. There were sold since January 1 12,485 acres, realizing $51,700.

The Portage la Prairie cricketers came to Winnipeg yesterday and returned home to-night. During their visit they vanquished both the Winnipeg and Dragoon teams of this city.

Winnipeg's assessment for the current year is $22,560,430.

An Edmonton despatch says: Deputy Sheriff J. H. Askley and Attorney J. H. Batton, of Chicago, and A. W. G. Ott, of Wheaton, Ill., have arrived here after "Cigarette" Charley, accused of killing Ott's son. Ott failed to recognize the man Smith, who had been arrested by Sergeant Brooke, on July 1, as the man wanted, and Smith was discharged. "Cigarette" Charley is supposed to be in the Peace River country. Batton, Askley and Ott leave for the South tomorrow.

John Casey and Frank Barrett have been arrested at Estevan for the murder of John A. Brown at Oakes, North Dakota.

### SIR JOHN PENDER.

Death of the Well Known English Cable Magnate—Connected With the First Enterprise.

LONDON, July 7.—Sir John Pender, the well known cable magnate, head of the Eastern extension, the Cape, the Anglo-American and other cable companies, who has been ill for some time, died at 5:45 this afternoon. He was born in 1816, was one of the originators of the first transatlantic cable company and was instrumental in causing the building of the Great Eastern. The death of Sir John was due to another stroke of paralysis following the one which recently prostrated him.

Starved to Death.

QUEBEC, July 7.—The remains of a party of seven Indians have been found two hundred miles north of the river Moisie. A family left here last fall, and is supposed to have met death by starvation.

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| Interest on Investments | 161,600 | |
| | | 671,850 |
| Dividends for Year | $208,400 | |
| Added to Reserves | 463,450 | |
| | | 671,850 |
| Losses Paid during past Ten Years | | $20,581,200 |

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| | Premiums. | Reserve Funds. |
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| 1885 | 2,400,000 | 1,722,500 |
| 1895 | 4,149,100 | 3,893,000 |

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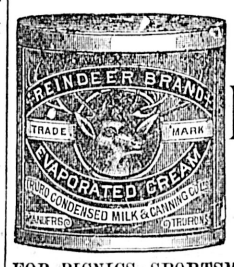


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